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reasons for voting in favor of the and most effectually removed all the usual lengthso called subsidy bill recently Democratic opposition. One of sentatives.

planation given in his letter to the all outward and homeward voy-Times-Dispatch, to which we are ages. This meant in all proba- Sir: gladly surrendering space this bility, that a line of American week.

Editor of the Times Dispatch:

Sir .- On my return the city on yesterday from my home in Virginia, where I had been since the adjournment of the last Congress my attention was directed to an editorial in a recent issue of your paper, under the caption, "Where Will Democrats Draw the Line?" in which the following language

"Where is the point at which Virginia Democrats draw the line of principal nowadays? We seek information. In the ship subsidy declaration of convictions, Congressman Jones, of Virginia, Democrat, voted with Congressman Slemp, of Virginia, Republican. The Newport News Times-Herald and The Newport News Press, whose home city contains a ship-

the stump?" me to say, exhibits a woeful lack of information as to the true character of the bill which is supposed to serve as its subject; and that portion which I have quoted ascribes to me motives which, to say the least, are by no means creditable, as well as misstates, in a most important particular,

my attitude in regard to ship subsidy in general. It is perfectly true that I de- public treasury. If such compen- after October 5th, 1908. nounced ship subsidy before Newport News, with its shipbuilding formed is to be characterized as leave to deny all the reports will be put in operation and will interests, became a part of the 2 "ship subsidy." what ought we which have been made to your besides have a demoralizing effect First District, but it is equally to call the immense sums so long Honorable Board detrimental to on schools generally. Our peotrue that I have denounced it paid the Southern Railway Com- said school as being without foun- ple generally are very much workeven more publicly and more emvice," which received the hearty essor Jenkins whom your ComHonorable Board, great urest Solid Gold Ladie's and Misses ever did previous hereto. Soon Democrats in Congress who now mittee is advised made the reports and dissatisfaction existing. The after that city was placed in the balk at this ocean mail service detrimental to said High School several District School Boards, First District I had my first and bill? And if it be undemocratic has never at any time, since beonly contest for a renomination, the receipt of the service for and in that spirited interparty ocean mail service, when that contest the bill then commonly service will open up new markets any time, visited this County, terested in the success of our known as the "ship subsidy bill" for Southern products, create an therefore no examination as re-school. was made a distinct issue in New- increased American trade and quired has ever been made into port News and elsewhere. In Seet in time of war, promote the that campaign I stated in a pub- upbuilding and resuscitation of lic address in Newport News, and cur merchant marine, and provide of One Hundred and Fifty Dolover and over again throughout work for our shipyards, what lars from our school did not ap-daily of from seventy-five to ninethe district, that I would not support either that or any other bill United States annually some \$10,of its character. I did not be- 000,000 more than is derived lieve in the principle embodied therefrom? in that measure, and I did not. and do not now, believe that, had which I voted, are pleased to circumstances attending the facts if any, together with the it been enacted into law, it would characterize it as a subsidy meashave accomplished the purpose are in order to render it odious to ports against our High School claimed for it by its advocates. those who are opposed to the and the person or persons from The bill which I voted for, and payment out of the public treas- whom it emanated and quotes an which has been characterised as arry of mere gratuities in aid of investigation by your Honorable a ship subsidy bill by many news- had no opportunity to examine paper writers who have never and to understand its features reports, that the same committee taken the pains to read it, was does not justify newspapers in was designated from the county strictly an ocean mail service bill. calling it a "ship subsidy bill," school board to conduct and manits title was 'An act to amend and does not, in my humble judg- age the said school during the the act of March therd, eighteen ment, render it undemocratic. Moreover, a bill which was unophundred and ninety-one, entitled posed by a single Democratic in say that the school was not satis-'An act to provide for ocean mail the United States Senate, if not factorily conducted during said

the provisions of and an amend- it should in all fairness, point out does not feel that the committee ment to the ocean mail bill passed the particulars, if they can, in or any one is to be censured, as by Congress in March, 1891. It which it is undemocratic. I in- the party who was in charge of in nowise changed the principle

commerce."

the act of 1891 has been in force VIGOROUS PROTEST BRINGS DESIRED lected over two other applicants Congress has appropriated sums that, in the aggregate, amount to

thereunder, and, so far as I know

to the contrary, there has never

after the adoption by that body

ularly at either Newport News or

by any regular line of vessels.

At least, those papers which

Washington, D. C., March 16.

W. A. JONES

speaks for itself.

cided to send Mr. S. F. Miller to ian, yet no part of the appropriation, Jao. Augustus Washington. Lawrence Washington. been a Democratic vote cast Richmond to present the case to tion was withheld. against these annual appropria- the State Board. He was armed with a strong set of resolutions leave to say, that, for the session last two being patients at now sought to read me a lesson In the meantime letters were All transient advertisements will be in Democracy, passed the Senate sent the Supt. of Public Instruction by Supt. Lane and by the a year ago this month without a single dissenting vote, after a full JOURNAL editor. Whether the discussion of its provisions, and combination of appeals, or whether the resolutions of the Board Institute with several years exbacked by Mr. Miller's vigorous of two amendments-one prepared by Senator Bacon, of Geor- arguments secured the desired re- lic Schools of Virginia and holdgia, and the other by Senator sult is not known, but Mr. J. J. ing a first grade certificate in full do appear here within inteen days ar-HAVING perfect confidence in Simmons, of North Carolina, both Burke received on Thursday a force, as assistant, that the Westthe ability and integrity of Hon. good and true Democrats, which check for the amount of the de-William A. Jones we have waited immensely increased its accepta- crease in the appropriation and patiently for him to explain his bility to the Democratic minority. the school will have a session of

At the request of the County passed by the House of Repre- those amendments provided that Board, the editor is printing a has at divers times, visited said day after this order was entered. if two or more regular lines should copy of the resolutions and of the Some of the state papers have be established, under the provis- letter of Mr. Eggleston in which Superintendent has likewise done criticized his actions in a very ions of the ocean mail bill of 1891, he explains the causes for his destringent manner. All these de- at least one should touch at at cision in favor of the High School.

Supt. of Public Instruction, Richmond, Va.

owned steamers, built in American mittee appointed from the Coun- other Trustees composing the shipyards and running to South ty School Board of Trustees for entire county School Board have American ports, would touch reg- Mathews County, to manage and made extensive and stringent engovern the High School, located quiry of the parents of the pupil Norfolk, Va., and Charleston, S. at Mathews C. H. in said County stending said school, and not C., and what that would have To-wit; Julian T. Christian, An- ingle item of complaint has been meant to the trade and commerce drew J. Miller and Walter R. found but to the contrary, patrons of the Southern States, had this stoakes, Trustees and clerks of of the school and all of our people

ports are either carried by slow Lane, Division Superintendant of imons in being fully satisfied with foreign tramps at irregular inter- Schools for the County of Math- the teachers and the general manvals, or are sent from New York ews that, owing to reports made agement of the school and proto London or Liverpool, and to your Honorable Board through gress of the pupils. thence, by either British or Ger- the Examiner for the District, in We further report that the beer, and overcomes that unpleasant reman ships, to their destination. which the County of Mathews is building used for this school is a essity of being compelled to go often None of our Southern products, situated to the effect, that there sublic school building built by under existing conditions, can be does not exist at Mathews C. H. the School Board at Mathews C. sent to any South American ports a High School proper that the I., before the High School sys same is not being properly con- em has been put in operation The other amendment provided ducted as such, that the school said building has been enlarged that "the total expenditure for building, grounds, etc., are not of and consists of four large rooms yard, warmly commend Mr. Jones foreign mail service for any one sufficient capacity, properly built, 20x24 feet by 12 feet ceiling and and one-dollar sizes. for his vote. Why? It is not a vear should not exceed the esti-ventilated, etc., for the proper well ventilated with a sufficient by mail. Address Dr. Kilmer & Co., Bingfact that, in the days when his mated revenue therefrom for that conducting and running a High number of large windows, halls hamton, N. Y. Mention this paper and district did not include Newport year." This provision robbed its School, therefore your Honorable and porches and that each of said Roct, and the address, Binghauton, News, Mr. Jones regarded ship opponents of even a pretext for Board has seen fit to notify Divis- rooms is distinctly separate, and N. Y., on every bottle. subsidy as an infernal fraud, and characterizing the bill as a mere ion Superintendent Lane that in the opinion of your committee so, in effect, frequently stated on gratuity or subsidy measure. It One Hundred and Fifty Dollars well fitted for purposes of conprovided beyond a y peradven- of the amount heretofore appro- ducting a high school. Your com-This article as a whole, permit ture that the contemplated ocean priated from State funds by your mittee further and distinctly mail service should be self-sus- Honorable Board under the rules states, that should your Honortaining, that it should not take and regulations governing in such able Board persist in carrying one dollar out of the public treas- cases has been withrawn from the out the withholding of the sum ury, and I submit that, in view of amount to which we are justiy indicated in the midst of the sesthe obvious benefits, direct and entitled to carry on said school to sion of said school, thus causing indirect, to be derived from this the end of the term of eight the said school to be closed at the proposed mail service, liberal- months, to-wit: Four Hundred end of the March instant as will yes, even generous-commensa- Dollars, in accordance with con- have to be done, it will give to Ladie's Solid Gold Watch, tion should not be withheld by tracts entered into with the teach- said school such a terrible set-Congress, especially when it in- ers employed in said school, which back that it will be very doubtful

commerce, provide an auxiliary the High School. The cause or reason for withdrawing the sum between yourself and Division Honorable Board will reconsider Superintendent Lane, your com- and revoke its decision as having mitte is of opinion that it has a been indicated. Simply because the opponents right to be fully advised as to all circumstances attending these reprivate enterprises, and who have Board. Your Committe further service between the United States actually approved by all of them term, owing to the fact that a ceive \$400 this session. Accordand foreign ports and to promote can hardly be regarded as violative mustake was evidently made in ingly we have sent the treasurer of any great Democratic principle the employment of a principal of It was merely an extension of would have the public so regard said school, still your committee of \$150

1907-8 was most highly and ex-

celleatly endorsed and was se-

for principal of said school be- COUNTY OF MATHEWS ON THE When the county School Board ments, yet he turned out to be a and Mary M. Boyd Plaincause of his superior endorse. 22ud, DAY OF MARCH 19 y OF RNAL PUBLISHING CO., ment of the contracts entered inthe High School appropriation a of this Committe that he was ab- ton, Dr. H. W. M. Washmeeting was held and it was de- solutely deficient as a disciplinar- logton, Joo. McCreaWash-

1908-9 a young man Mr. Ransone Hospitals respectively, Dea full graduate of the Normal De- fendants. principal to said school and Miss ville District School Board employed in the primary department Miss Georgia James a full gradschool, and that, the Division so, besides, since the report has J. Boyd Sears, p. q. Sands Smith, Clerk been current as to withholding nunciations appear to be very un- least two ports on the Atlantic To the Hon, J. D. Eggles on Jr., the sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars of the sum heretofore appropriated from the State funds by your Honorable Board, your We, the undersigned, a com-committee together with the bill been passed, I leave to the three District School Boards. | xpress great surprise at such imagination of my critics. To- Your committee having been eports and course on the part of day our mails to South American informed through Dr. Thomas B. vour Honorable Board, are unan-

volves no payment out of the contracts were effective from and if at the beginning of the next school term to begin during the sation for services actually per- Your committee herewith, begs fall of 1909, such a school can or pany for so-called "fast mail ser-dation, that the Examiner Prof- ed up over the action of your Other Diamond Rings, \$20, \$30 and \$50 to expend a sum not in excess of ing Examiner, visited this County, Board are always in attendance nor has any District Examiner at upon their duties are greatly in-

Your Committee further re- Reference, "The Editor," ports that said High School is being successfully conducted with Fob Brinting an enrollment and attendance

(Signed) JULIAN T. CHRISTIAN, Ch'r, ANDREW J. MILLER, Sec'ty. WALTER R. STOAKES.

Supt. Thos. B. Lane. Port Haywood, Va.,

My Dear Sir. After careful consideration of the statements contained in your etter and in a petition which has ast been received from Mr. Julan T. Christian and others, committee, I am satisfied that the Mathews High School should rea warrant for the additional sum

I am sending a copy of this leter as a reply to the petition referrei to. I am. close a copy of this bill, which said school during the term of

Very touly wurs. I. D. EGGLESTON, JR , Supt. of Pulic Instruction, IN THE CLERK'S OFFICE OF

Your committe further begs and McCrea Washington the

partment of William and Mary the will of the late W. H. Roy and to make sale of the portions of "Green The odject of this suit is to construe Plains" (a farm on North River) be longing to Ellen D. Goldsborough and Ryland, a full graduate of Hollics Mary M. Boyd. And an affidavit having been filed that the defendants perience in teaching in the Pub- Washington are not residents of the terest in this suit. And it is further oldered that a copy hereof be publish weeks in thi Mathews journal, a newspaper published in the county of Math uate of Farmville Female Nor- ews and that a copy be posted at the front door of the courthouse of this mal School, that your committe county on the 19th, day of April, 1909, that being the next succeeding rule A Copy-Teste:

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